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AAEA Plans Luncheon, Choir Presentation, Social Event

- Black History Month celebrations

(Feb. 18, 2004) An artist, an inventor and two poets will be featured speakers at noon, Thursday, during an African American Employees Association luncheon in the Gateway Conference Room.

The speakers are artist Arthur Dysart, whose works have been shown throughout the United States; inventor Joseph Jackson, whose six patents include electronic devices and fertility prediction devices for women; poet Dr. Billy Ingram, author of "The Legacy"; and poet Myra Gale, author of "Ride Rosa Ride."

The luncheon is scheduled from noon until 1 p.m.

On Thursday, Feb. 26, the AAEA Choir will present songs for the Black History Celebration on the Plaza in front of MTA Headquarters from noon until 1 p.m.

That evening, AAEA has scheduled its third annual Black History Month social event.

Honorees are Linda Wright, MTA deputy executive officer for Diversity & Economic Opportunity; and Metro Bus Operator Raven Sanders, who graduated with honors from USC as salutatorian and received a full scholarship to medical school.

The social event will be held at the Loft, located at 613 Imperial Street at the intersection of 6th and Imperial streets, just west of Santa Fe Avenue.

The \$20 tickets for the event may be obtained from Nery Watson at 21054, Yvette Nixon at 27174 or from Frank Willis at 22609.

AAEA Honorees



Linda Wright, MTA deputy executive officer for Diversity & Economic Opportunity, and, below, Metro Bus Operator Raven Sanders, who graduated with honors from USC as salutatorian and received a full scholarship to medical school, are honorees at the AAEA's Black History Month social event.

